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WEATHER REPORT
For this section—Rain, possibly changing to snow late this afternoon or tonight

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FRENCH ARMY WILL OCCUPY FRANKFORT

German City In Neutral Zone Will Be Taken Today

TAKE DIRECT ACTION

Millerand Precipitates Crisis By Resorting To Direct Action on the Part of France

Mayence, April 6.—The French troops will occupy Frankfort early today. Some detachments have already started.

Paris, April 6.—France once more has delegated to Marshal Foch the task of guarding her frontiers and in placing her reliance for German observance of the peace treaty upon French military power.

In abandoning the machinery of the interallied diplomacy and resorting to "direct action" of her military machine France has precipitated a crisis in Allied relations. But Premier Millerand and his Government have the complete support of French public opinion.

With latest reports telling of thousands of German troops continuing their march into the Ruhr district, the French public is keyed to a higher pitch than at any time since the armistice. There has long been a feeling that France was being deserted by her Allies insofar as enforcement of the treaty is concerned. Millerand has complete support in his decision practically to ignore the United States, England and other powers in forcing Germany to observe the treaty terms as regards occupation of the neutral territory on the right bank of the Rhine.

While Premier Millerand has notified the other Allied and Associated powers of the military action France intends to take, there is no doubt in Paris that this was merely done as a pact of diplomatic courtesy, and that the French Government will proceed with its program whether the Allies approve or disapprove. Some definite word is expected from England hourly, now that the British Ministers have returned from their Easter holidays.

Through Chargé von Mayer, Germany has protested against the advance of the French troops, by the delivery of notes to both the British and American Embassies. In view of President Wilson's previous approval of the entrance of the Germans into the Ruhr, his response to the German protest naturally is awaited with interest.

France fully realizes that in deciding upon coercive measures, she is acting in defiance of Wilson, but every expression of the French press is clearly to the effect that the United States cannot expect to dictate as to matters so vitally affecting France which America, so far, has refused to accept the treaty, which Germany is endeavoring to ignore by failure to observe some of its terms and openly violating others.

Under present circumstances it is understood that Germany has 24 hours in which to cease the movement of troops into the neutral zone.

MOOSE BALL

The Golden Apple Ball given by the Loyal Order of Moose at the Odd Fellows' Hall last evening was largely attended. At ten o'clock there was a grand march and each person received an apple, two of which contained two and one half dollar pieces. The lucky lady was Miss Thelma E. Atwell, of 226 South Payne street. Mr. R. C. Kelly, of 719 Gibbon street, was the other lucky person.

CORD OWNERS

OUR MOTTO—If it is done at Rasmchel's, it must be done right. 75-tf.

NOTICE—REWARD

A reward of $100 will be paid for the recovery of the goods stolen and the arrest and conviction of the thieves who entered the store of J. Hankin, 622 King street on the morning of March 31. 82-3t

ACCIDENT LAST NIGHT

Automobile in Charge of Benj. Waters Strikes Car Driven by George White

Among the cases before the Police Court this morning was that of Benjamin Waters, who was charged by George White with running his automobile into the machine driven by the plaintiff near the northwest corner of King and Washington streets last night. White alleged that he was moving west on King street when his car was struck by an automobile driven by Waters, who had been proceeding east on King street, but which had suddenly turned towards the north for the purpose of entering Washington street. One of the witnesses for the complaiant testified that Waters' car was on the wrong side of the street when the collision occurred.

Waters insisted that White's car collided with his machine, and that he (Waters) was forced to run to the left in order to avoid an excavation which had been made at the intersection of the two streets.

The court decided that Waters was responsible for the accident and the damage which had resulted, but imposed no fine, assuming that the expense incurred by the defendant was a sufficient outlay.

White's car was badly damaged.

Officers Chosen

T. P. A. Also Elects Delegates and Alternates to State Convention

Post F. Travelers Protective Association at its annual meeting held last night elected these officers to serve for the ensuing year: J. William May, president; J. H. Trimyer, secretary-treasurer; W. W. Ballenger, first vice president; O. H. Kirk, second vice president; Harry Hammond, third vice president; S. W. Pitts, fourth vice president; Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, chaplain.

Committee chairmen Railroad, A. D. Brockett; press, R. E. Knight; hotel Alfred Thomson; legislative, Julian Y Williams; good roads, C. C. Lamond; membership, T. Harvey Henshaw; employment, W. W. Boswell.

Delegates chosen to the state convention which will be held in Lynburg, May 7 and 8 follow: J. William May, John H. Trimyer, Amos Clift, Llewellyn Dysol, Harvey Henshaw, C. C. Lamond, Alfred Thomson, H. O. Kirk, A. D. Brockett, T. A. Sommers, M. E. Greene, W. W. Ballenger, R. E. Knight, Robert S. Jones, H. Noe Garner, Charles T. Nicholson.

Alternates named are as follows: Julian Y. Williams, O. H. Kirk, Frank B. Howard, Wallace Lindsey, Hunt Russell, R. M. Graham, Kenneth W. Ogden, R. M. Chichester, George D. Hopkins, W. A. Smoot, Harry Hammond, P. C. Crilly, Robert F. Downham, Mark L. Price.

HIGH SCHOOL PLAY

As has been announced before the senior class of the A. H. S. will play in "Green Stockings" at the high school auditorium three nights this week. Tomorrow night will be the initial performance and the show will start at 8.15. Following is the cast of characters:

Admiral Grice (retired) a testy old gentleman of about 65, with the manner of an old sea dog, Frederick West.

William Faraday. A well preserved man of about 65. Fashionable, superficial and thoroughly selfish, Magnus Bales.

Colonel Smith, a dignified, dryly humorous man of military bearing, about 40 years old, Herbert Knight.

Robert Tarner, an empty-headed young swell, Milton Starnell.

Henry Steele and James Raleigh two young men of about 30 and 35 respectively, William McGraw and Emmett Lawler.

Martin, a dignified old family servant, Everett James.

Celia Faraday, an unaffected woman of 29, with a sense of humor, Lynda Carver.

Madge (Mrs. Rockingham) and Evelyn (Lady Trenchard) handsome, well dressed, fashionable of 25 and 27 respectively, Mildred Lloyd and Hilda Noonan.

Phyllis, the youngest sister, a charming and pretty, but thoughtlessly selfish girl of 20, Inez Moore.

Mrs. Chisholm Faraday, of Chicago, (Aunt Ida), a florid, quick-tempered, warm-hearted woman of about 50, Laury Blewett.

DECISION GIVEN WATER FRONT SUIT

Low Water Mark Given as Boundary by Court

U. S. SUPREME COURT

Considerable Interest Here In Suit Pending Since 1912 When Cove Was Filled in by Government.

Considerable interest is attached to the decision just handed down by Justice Van Orsdel in the suit of ejectment brought by the government against the Marine Railway and Coal Company for the possession of one and four-tenth acres of land abutting the property of the foregoing company.

The decision gives the boundary as low water mark.

Attorney James R. Caton, of this city, who represents the Marine Railway and Coal Company in the suit stated today that he has not yet read the decision, and, therefore, cannot tell just what it means. He, however, stated today that he has not yet read be taken to the United States Supreme Court of Appeals.

In this suit Attorney Caton claims that the boundary line is the retaining line running to Jones Point to the old Marine Railway and Coal Company's place and the government contends that the line is high water mark in the cove.

From what he read in the newspaper he said the decision just handed down gives the claimants nearly all they asked for. However, he said the case would be appealed.

According to Mr. Caton if this decision means that the line is to be low water mark as it existed in 1784 it would effect the whole river front property of Alexandria and also the wharf property. He, however, added, "I have not yet read the opinion and cannot give any definite statement as to its effect."

This suit has been pending in the courts since 1912 and a total of about forty-seven acres are involved which is claimed by different property owners.

The case was brought to a head in 1912 when the government after filling in what is known as Battery Cove put up a wire fence enclosing the property. The Marine Railway and Coal Co. acting on the advice of their counsel removed the fence and this started the litigation, the government being anxious to test the case.

The appellate court, however, directs a modification of the decree of the District Supreme Court be made so as to restore to the United States only the land reclaimed riverward of the mean line of low-water mark on the Virginia shore. This deprives the government, it is said, of a little less than one-twentieth of the land given to it by the lower court.

To Resell Shipyard

Plant of General Shipbuilding Corporation to go Under Hammer April 29

Creditors of the General Shipbuilding Corporation at a meeting held this morning at the office of Charles Henty Smith, referee in bankruptcy, objected to the sale of the real estate of that company as set forth in the report of Louis N. Duffey, trustee, and their objection was sustained.

The property of this plant was ordered resold April 29 at noon and at that time it is expected there will be more bidders than at the first sale.

The property was sold by the court March 3 at public auction and knocked down to Herbert Bryant's Son for the sum of $41,500.

NOTICE

Owing to the steadily increasing cost of white paper and other things that go into the production of a newspaper, the price of the Gazette for single copies at the office and at newsstands beginning April 1 will be two cents. The price delivered by carrier will be thirty-five cents per month as heretofore.
77-tf.

TODAY'S PRIMARY SOON A MEMORY

A Total of 1,028 Votes Polled Up To 3 O'clock This Afternoon

BIG CROWD AT POLLS

Looks as if Less Than 1800 Will be Cast Unless Very Heavy Vote Between Now and Closing time.

A big vote is being polled in today's primary for the purpose of nominating a mayor, four members of the board of aldermen and eight members of the common council.

Up to 3 oclock this afternoon a total of 1,028 votes has been polled.

The votes by wards follow:

First	226
Second	268
Third	280
Fourth	254
Total	1,028

There are about 2,200 persons qualified to participate in the primary and the opinion prevails around the polls that about 1,800 votes will be cast. From the time of the opening of the polls this morning, the election has been active. The early vote was wanted and it was obtained by the various candidates.

The race for mayoralty honors is paramount. It is the chief center of attraction. The three candidates are: Capt. Albert Bryan, James M. Duncan and W. J. McCaffrey.

The candidates and their friends have been around the polls since they opened this morning and a large number of motor vehicles have been employed in bringing the voters to and from the polls.

The rivalry has been unusually keen and although there has been no disorder at any of the voting places, it being simply a good natured family affair.

The polls will close at 6:36 oclock this evening and between now and closing time many more votes are expected to be cast.

Not in recent years has such great interest been displayed as there has in this contest which was inaugurated several months ago. The various candidates since they threw their hats into the ring have been making a quiet and active canvass.

A number of the candidates for common council also have made a canvass and in some wards there is a warm fight for honors for council, this being so in the second ward where there are five candidates to pick from. For common council two are to be chosen from each ward. It is expected that the result of the election will be known by 8 oclock tonight.

PRICES ARE AT TOP LEVEL.

Armour Says Meat Cost is Not Go Any Higher

Kansas City, Mo., April 6.—J. Ogden Armour, whose opinion on the price of meat should be better than that of anybody else on earth, said yesterday.

LADIES NIGHT

Andrew Jackson Lodge of Masons to Celebrate Tomorrow Night

Arrangements have been completed for a ladies night entertainment which will be givven at 7:45 o'clock tomorrow night by Andrew Jackson Lodge of Masons in the auditorium of the Elks' Home.

The committee in charge has prepared a program of fun which will include the conferring of the degree entitled "The Most Royal Order of Bricklayers," a farcial degree written, arranged and to be conferred by the "baby" Masons of this lodge.

Songs will be given by the Seminole quartet. C. H. Callahan will deliver a lecture on Mount Vernon.

All Masons and their ladies are invited to be present.

DIED

CROCKETT—On Monday night, April 5, 1920, at the residence of his parents, at 1123 King street, Earl S. Crockett aged 23 years, survived by a wife and two children. Funeral Wednesday at 2 p. m., from the residence.—(Washington papers please copy.)
83-1c

CONFERENCE OF M. E. CHURCH SOUTH

Begins Tomorrow in Mount Vernon Place Church, Washington

CHURCH IN THIS CITY

One of the Most Prosperous Years in its History—Membership Now One Thousand—$18,000 Collected

The 136th session of the Baltimore Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, of which the Washington street Church of this city is a part, will begin tomorrow at Mount Vernon Place Church, Washington, D. C. at nine o'clock A. M. Bishop E. R. Hendrix will preside. Rev. E. V. Regester, pastor and Nevell S. Greenaway, Lay Delegate, will represent the Church of this city. The other lay delegates from this city who will attend are James E. Alexander, Treasurer of the Board of Missions, and J. Frank Myers, of Epworth League Board.

The Church in this city has had one of the most prosperous years in its history; its religious activities have covered every phrase of Church work and the pastor, Rev. E. V. Regester, is receiving the congratulations, not only of his own flock, but of the members of all denominations upon his successful pastorate.

Twenty-six new members were received last Sunday, bringing the present membership up to one thousand; with several others who have signified their intention of uniting later.

During the year 148 new members have been added to the Church, making the net increase ninety-six. Forty five of these new members were from the Sabbath school.

The Sabbath school is the largest in the city, having an enrollment, in all departments, of 895.

The amount raised by the membership during the year for all purposes is a little over $18,000, and the Church will go up to Conference with every item paid in full. The indebtedness of $3,000 on the Young People's Building has been entirely wiped out, and $1,300 has been expended on Church improvements.

IN MEMORIAM

In sad but loving remembrance of our dear beloved daughter, Frances Marguerite Gaines, who passed away to eternal rest one year ago today, April 6, 1919.

Our hearts are lonely without you,
We miss your sunshine and love,
But we feel your spirit around us,
Though you live with angles above.
You left us a noble example,
Unselfish service in life,
And when one by one we are summoned,
From this life to happiness true,
We know at the gate you'll be waiting,
To greet us anew.

By her loving father and mother,
Courtland and Ruth Gaines.
83-1p

DEMAND FOR IDLE HOURS

Striking Street Car Operators Want Pay at Advanced Rate for All Time Out

Toledo, Ohio, April 6.—Striking street car men yesterday demanded $6 a day for the time they are out of work as the result of suspension of car service due to the refusal of City Council to permit a fare increase to take care of a wage boost. The men expected the city to compensate them, it was said.

For Chiropractic adjustments, call on the Doctor at 624 King street. For men, women and children. 64-e o d tf

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

I respectfully solicit your support for
Mayor of the City
Subject to Democratic Primary
Tuesday, April 6, 1920
ALBERT BRYAN
14 years a member of city council.
12 years chairman of finance committee.
6 years police commissioner. 78-6t

H. W. CAMPBELL SHOWS

With unfavorable weather and other difficulties dispelled, the H. W. Campbell Shows are continuing their preparations towards the opening of the Red Men's Spring festival billed as Alexandria's biggest amusement of the year.

Colross lot and the surrounding neighborhood, presents quite an unusual scene of activity, as a small army of men assisted by many teams of horses, and huge motor trucks the properties of the H. W. Campbell Co., are preparing their many tents, booths and other properties that go to make up the biggest circus and wild animal exposition ever offered to the local public.

The H. W. Campbell Shows, come heralded and praised by the newspapers of the towns recently visited by the shows—as the biggest and cleanest type of shows and exhibitions to visit the Southeastern states.

The shows which are new and novel are devoid of any feature that would appear as objectionable to the most sensitive mind. On the other hand there are many points of an educational bearing to be seen amongst the many shows presented.

A feature of yesterday, which will be repeaetd twice daily, was the splendid concert rendered by the show band and vocal soloists. The music and singing was excellent and was highly enjoyed by the many who made their appreciation felt with well deserved outbursts of applause throughout the entire concert.

A feature scheduled for today, is a magnificent street parade on the downtown streets.

VESTRYMEN CHOSEN

At a meeting of the congregation of Grace Episcopal Church held last night the following were chosen vestrymen: C. N. Moore, Frank T. King, Charles J. Deahl, C. A. Shaffer, W. H. Thorpe, J. L. Stafford, H. E. Arnold, A. M. Simpson, W. C. Lynch, Chas. W. King, George M. Reynolds.

Afterward following were elected officers:

C. N. Moore, senior warden; C. E. Cox, junior warden; Frank T. King, secretary-treasurer; Charles W. King, delegate to council.

FINED FIVE DOLLARS EACH

Automobilists Ran Over Hose at Fire Several Days Ago

At a special session of the Police Court last night two men were arraigned at the instance of Kenneth W. Ogden, Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, on the charge of running automobiles over hose at the foot of Wolfe street several days ago. The hose were attached to a plug at the southwest corner of Wolfe and Union sreets, and while the fire was in progress the accused ran their automobiles over them, after one of the offenders had been warned by members of the department who were at work.

H. Noel Garner, Corporation Attorney, appeared in behalf of the city. The law provides that in case any person cuts, damages or defaces hose while a fire is in progress a fine of $50 shall be imposed. The court, however, construed the law as applying to persons who might act maliciously, and the parties arraigned had not manifested such a spirit. A penalty of $5 was imposed upon each.

NOTICE

Carpenter and helper wanted. Apply to Alexandria Manufacturing Co., 2nd floor, Gazette Building.
83-1c

CONCERT BY ALUMNAE

Will be Given at St. Mary's Academy Friday

St. Mary's Alumnae has arranged for a concert which will be given Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock at St Mary's Academy. Participants will include well known local and Washington talent, and the committee in charge promise a musical treat to those who attend.

Tickets may be obtained from members of the alumnae or at the drug store of J. E. W. Timberman, King and Washington streets.

THE STORK LEFT TWINS

Yes, the General Tire and Exide Battery. You will be pleased with either. If you can afford both, they will be a joy forever.

JESTER'S
923 KING STREET
83-1c

HAPPENINGS ABOUT CITY TOLD IN BRIEF

Easter services will be held in the Jewish Temple at 7.30 o'clock Thursday evening.

The initiatory degree of the order will be conferred Wednesday night by Sarepta Lodge of Odd Fellows.

Another Virginia concern just chartered is the Taylor Truck Company of Alexandria headed by Fred Taylor, of Sollers, Md.

The Ladies Moose Heart Legion will be instituted tonight at Meburney's Hall, King and Washington streets, at 7:30 o'clock.

The regular monthly meeting of the American Legion has been postponed from tomorrow, Wednesday, evening, to Friday, at the Chamber of Commerce.

The dance last night in the Elks' Auditorium of the Knickerbocker Club was a most enoyable affair and dancing was kept up until a late hour.

Mrs. Charles Creighton Carlin will entertain tomorrow afternoon from 4 to 6, at her home, 215 north Washington street, in honor of Mrs. A. Mitchell Palmer.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Second Baptist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. F. O. Purvis, 216 South St. Asaph street, Tuesday, at 8 p. m. A full attendance is urgently requested.

The election of officers by R. E. Lee Camp Confederate Veterans, was postponed last night until the next regular monthly meeting. Only routine business was disposed of last night.

The Mason Dixon Players will hold an important rehearsal at the Community Center tonight at 7:45 in preparation for the May Ball. All members are urgently requested to be present.

The Jubilee Social Club will hold its Easter dance Wednesday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall, North Columbus street. This dance will no doubt prove as complete a success as all former affairs of this popular organization.

In the circuit court for this city in vacation the will of James Elliott, dated September 4, 1919, has been admitted to probate. Testator leaves his estate to relatives and names George H. Hatcher, of 433 1-2 Sixth street, southwest, Washington, as executor.

Miss Ruth Thompson Howell, who has spent the past two years working in Lenox Hill Settlement, New York, is now in this city and will take up her work among girls here. Miss Howell is temporarily located with Dr. Kate Waller Barrett, at 408 Duke street.

The first Community Center Euchre will be held Thursday, April 8th, at the Center on Duke and Royal streets. The new furniture will be in use at this time, and an unusually good time is promised. Tickets may be obtained at the center or from Mrs. Norris Roland, chairman of the committee.

Frank L. Ballenger and others have sold to Mrs. Mary Emma Simpson and husband a house and lot on the south side of Queen between Royal and Pitt streets; William L. Norford and wife have sold to Robert L. Kane one half interest in the Humphreys Hotel on the north side of Cameron between Royal and Fairfax streets.

Earl Crockett, 23 years old, died last night after a long illness, at the residence of his father, Hugh S. Crockett, 1123 King street. He is survived by his wife and two children. The deceased was employed as a clerk at the Potomac yards. The funeral will be held from the residence at 2 p. m., Wednesday, conducted by the Rev. Dr. P. P. Phillips. Burial will be in Bethel cemetery.

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HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF

The action of the Roundheads of England centuries ago in making it a misdemeanor for any person to indulge in mince pie on Christmas Day is often referred to as one of the follies of an age of intolerance, which had passed away with statutes against witchcraft. But it seems that laws operative in the days of the Pilgrim Fathers are at present in vogue in the United States of America in the twentieth century.

The use of liquor for culinary purposes has been placed under the ban by Federal Prohibition Commissioner John F. Kramer. The information was contained in a letter from Mr. Kramer to Richard S. Dodson, enforcement agent for Maryland in which he forbade the issuance of permits to use liquor for any cooking purposes whatever.

"I am writing to you in reference to the matter of granting permits to use intoxicating liquors for culinary purposes. Commissioner Roper, after considering this matter very carefully, has decided that under the law there is no authority for issuing permits for culinary purposes In the further progress of our work, therefore, you may govern yourself accordingly. No further applications for withdrawals should be approved under permits outstanding."

In this connection it may be stated that today—April 6—is the anniversary of a long string of "big moments" in the story of the grand old U. S. A. Events which have occurred on this date in past years range from the declaration of war against Germany—three years ago—back to the fighting of the bloodiest battle of the civil war—at Shiloh, Tennessee, in '62—not omitting the historical flash from the frozen north that Peary had nailed the Stars and Stripes to the North Pole, in 1909.

Today is celebrated as Liberty Day.

The first American Congress under the Constitution convened in New York on this day, 131 years ago, and John Langdon sent his formal message to his Excellency, George Washington Esquire, in which he informed the latter that upon the due counting of the votes of the electors Washington, had been elected "President of the said United States of America."

FRANCE CALLS A HALT

The French government's determination to occupy certain cities in the militarily neutralized zone east of the Rhine rests on rights acquired in the Treaty of Versailles. It is not an act of aggression, but of self defense.

The government at Berlin has violated Article 43 of the treaty, which forbids "the maintenance and the assembly of (German) armed forces, either permanently or temporarily and military maneuvers of any kind, as well as the unkeep of all permanent works for mobilization" between the Rhine and a line paralelling that river fifty kilometers to the east of it. About 40,000 German troops are operating within this area to suppress the revolt in the Ruhr region. They have crossed the neutral zone boundary without the consent of the Allied powers. Article 44 of the treaty says: "In case Germany violates in any manner whatever the provisions of Articles 42 and 43, she shall be regarded as committing a hostile act against the powers signatory of the present treaty and as calculated to disturb the peace of the world."

As the New York Tribune says, "France doesn't purpose ejecting the German troops from the Ruhr district. She will be satisified if they restore order there and then withdraw. But as a guaranty of their prompt withdrawal Marshal Foch intends to enter the neutral zone at other points and to occupy German cities there until the retirement from the Ruhr takes place. This is a very moderate form of defensive coercion. A German entry into neutralized territory is offset by a

"It seems to be the proper moment to show Germany that a treaty is a treaty and that modifications of it on Germany's part can be accomplished only through orderly negotiation and in a manner acceptable to the Allied powers."

LABOR'S BALANCE OF TRADE

What the ultimate effect of the war upon what may be called the exchange of labor will be it is still too early to determine. But if the figures made public by the Inter-Racial Council be correct, this country seems likely to gain little from immigration and lose much from emigration. It is not surprising to learn that Europe is disposed to bar the emigration of able bodied men. They are too much needed there. Italy for example is permitting the reservists to return to America, but emigrants are largely limited to this class. It is the industrial non-producers upon whose going there is no restraint.

The tendency of labor everywhere to limit production and to enforce wage increase is another factor in diminishing emigration from Europe. If pre-war economic conditions are to be restored as quickly as possible, longer rather than short er hours of labor are requisite. Nor is this all. It is generally admitted that efficiency has diminished as production has been limited. Less work in proportion is done within the shorter time than was done within the longer. This makes any diminution in the number of workers a more serious matter than ever.

What is less easy to understand is the increase in emigraiton from the United States. The demand for labor from Europe does not wholly explain it. The demand is as great and the conditions are at least as good here. Yet it is stated that 275,000 emigrants have left the country since the signing of the armistice, and it is estimated that with the removal of passport restrictions and the increase in transportation facilities, the number will speedily run over a million. Plainly domestic labor need not fear competition on its own ground.

It is probably better for us that the labor supply should be quite evenly distributed, for our own industrial progress depends more intimately than ever upon that of Europe. But the emigration of able bodied workmen and the immigration of a less efficient class cannot go on long without exercising an injurious effect upon our economic stability.

I. W. W.'S SENTENCED

Were Convicted for Attacking Longshoremen While Latter Were Returning to Work

New York, April 6—Convicted on charges growing out of the longshoremen's strike at the Bush Terminal docks in Brooklyn last October, five men, all carrying I. W. W. cards when arrested, were sentenced in Kings county court yesterday. It was charged that the men attacked union men when the latter returned to work after settling the strike.

Giacomo Mangraphone, found guilty of rioting, was sentenced to Sing Sing Prison for two and one-half to five years. The others, who pleaded guilty to unlawful assembly, were sentenced to the city prison and penitentiary.

LOSS NEAR BILLION

Need $429,727,341 Fund to Close Railway Administration Affairs

Washington, April 6.—Congress was asked formally yesterday to appropriate $429,727,342 to wind up the affairs of the Railroad Administration. In requesting the fund, Walker D. Hines, Railroad Administrator, placed the loss resulting from the government's expense in Federal control at $900,478,756. In addition, the government has $960,803,306 owing it by the roads, the money having been advanced for operating expenses and betterments. Ultimately this fund will be repaid.

Mr. Hines explained that no allowance had been made in his request to cover any claims the roads might have against the government for maintenance of the lines, because the net amount for this purpose could not yet be estimated.

UNREST IN IRELAND

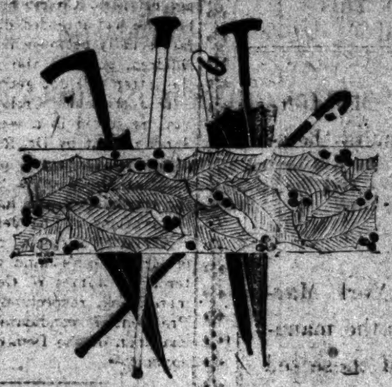
Revenue Offices Destroyed Throughout Whole Country

London, April 6.—Not a single customs house remains intact in Ireland, the Pall Mall Gazette learns from its Dublin correspondent. More than a hundred police barracks were burned down. The destruction of the revenue offices has totally disorganized the system of collecting income taxes throughout Ireland. The damage amounts into many millions of pounds.

Only a handful of arrests were made in Ireland as a result of the

SWAN BROS
ALEXANDRIA'S LARGEST DEPARTMENT STORE

Spring is Umbrella and Raincoat Time



The old adage of "April Showers, etc, is apparently coming true with a vengeance. Showers have been in order since the beginning of the month and present indications are that they are going to continue indefinitely.

Now is the time to be prepared for the rainy days that are sure to come this month and next. Guard against illness by outfitting yourself now for rainy weather.

MEN'S RAINCOATS Priced $12.50 to $40.00

WOMEN'S UMBRELLAS Priced $2.50 to $15.00

MEN'S UMBRELLAS Priced $2.50 to $10.00

BOY'S RAINCOATS Priced $4.98, $9.50, $12.50

Men's Bathrobes

Spring and summer means new lightweight bath robes and we are prepared to supply your every need in this respect. We have them both in light and medium weight materials and they are priced to suit every purse.

$6.50 to $25.00

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MAY CUT OFF CHILDREN

Croker Intends With Wife to Resist Suit—His Sanity Attested by Friends

Palm Beach, Fla., April 6.—A statement that neither Richard Croker nor his wife will submit to a compromise of the suit brought against them by Howard Croker was issued yesterday by Harold Nathan, of the firm of Lowenstein, Nathan & Lehman, who has arrived from New York to take charge of the case in connection with H. L. Bussey, Mr. Croker's Palm Beach lawyer.

While the old Tammany leader cannot be quoted as saying so, it is a common report here that up to the time of the present action, in which the insanity clause and the attacks against Mrs. Croker have astonished him, he had intended dividing his estate equally between his wife and his children, but now the rumor is that the latter will not get a cent.

That the elder Croker is perfectly sane is stated in a report completed Sunday night by Dr. Ralph H. Gree formerly in charge of the medical staff of the Florida State Hospital for the Insane, who had finished his observations of the defendant.

Affidavits alleging the soundness of Mr. Croker's mind were filed yesterday by James W. Gerard and Norman Mack, respectively Democratic Presidential candidate and former chairman of the Democratic National committee.

TRAFFIC TIED UP

500 Policemen Assigned to Chicago Yards—Country's Food Supply in Peril

Chicago, April 6.—Tie-up of railroad traffic by the striking switchmen in Chicago yards yesterday affecting eleven roads, caused the American Railway Express Company to place an embargo on all shipments to and from Chicago. This means that express shipments routed through Chicago will be held up and that trans-continental express business will be placed practically at a standstill. Should the strike continue railroads may follow with embargoes on non-essentials.

The executive committee of railway managers asserted that while traffic was hampered most of the delay was due to the blizzard.

Though strikers claim there are 9,000 out, railroad officials say there are only 2,500 on strike.

City officials and railroad men cooperated today in keeping up the supply of milk to Chicago.

Martial law may be declared in the railroad yards as a result of the strike, which is imperiling the country's food supply and wrecking railroad passenger and freight schedules officials said.

Strikers predicted a complete tie-up of freight traffic and serious impairment of the passenger service, and asserted that $40,000,000 worth of perishable freight in Chicago yards will die unless their demands for higher wages are heeded.

RUNS CAUSED MARRIAGE

Queen Says Morganatic Wedding Was Result of German Plot

"It was German agents who maneuvered and brought about the marriage of my son, Charles," said the Queen of Roumania in speaking of the morganatic marriage contracted in September, 1918, between Crown Prince Charles of Rumania and Zyzis Lambrino, a young woman who is said previously to have had little social rank or wealth.

The Queen requested the correspondent to give her explanation of the marriage owing as she said, to there having been so many untrue reports of the action of herself and King Ferdinand, who were abroad at the time and who she declared had been pictured as tearing asunder a loving couple.

"I am convinced that it was not a case of true love, except on the side of Charles," said Queen Marie. "I have never seen the girl, except at public balls. She is not pretty, but she succeeded in capturing the affections of Charles. She is intelligent and ambitious. She saw her chance to obtain a great advantage, and she took it.

"However, it was against the public policy of the country to have a member of the royal family intermarry locally and thus become mixed in party intrigues. It was against this that the country sought a foreign king and queen.

"I begged my son to consider these facts, and he promised to forego his personal wishes for the benefit of the country. Nevertheless the marriage took place at Odessa, aided by Germans. Later it was annulled as illegal, both under the laws of Rumania and of old Russia, as no banns were published.

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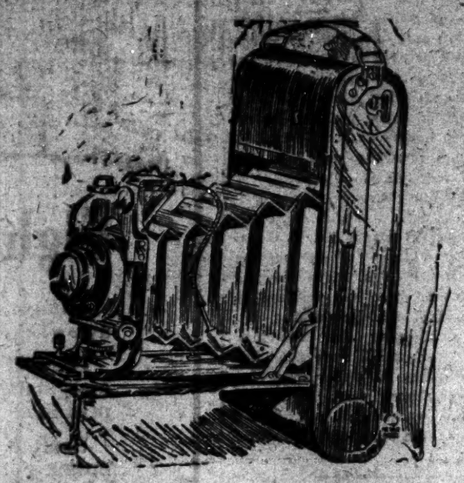

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AMERICAN LEGION NEWS AND NOTES

The second State convention of the American Legion of Virginia will be held in Richmond September 2, 3 and 4 the executive committee of the Virginia department announces. The matter was considered at the March meeting in Lynchburg, and the date definitely announced today. With a paid up membership of approximately 5,000 ex service men, officers of the department declared that between 5,000 and 7,000 additional men should be added to the local posts before the convention convenes. Every post in the State will have representatives in attendance at this meeting.

Members of the State executive committee, after the matter was carefully explained by John J. Wicker, Jr., the national committee from Virginia, unanimously adopted the program of the national executive committee for Beneficial Legislation for all service men. This four fold optional plan is as follows:

1—Land settlement.
2—Home building aid.
3.—Vocational training.
4.—Adjusted Compensation based on each day of service.

The committee adopted a resolution that the "American Legion Executive committee for the Department of Virginia representing all parts of the State ,that the four fold bill presented to Congress by the American Legion is hereby indorsed and the Congressmen and Senators from Virginia are hereby requested to support the said bill and to use their active influence toward having the bill reported out of the Ways and Means Committee and enacted into law as soon as possible." Each post in the department has been requested to forward similar resolutions to the Virginia Senators and Congressmen.

All ex service men are urged by the Virginia Department of the American Legion to have their discharge papers officially recorded with the county recorder. The desirability and importance of every member of the legion conforming with this suggestion is evidenced by the many instances in which claims are being made for lost or destroyed papers.

The official form of discharge is an instrument that cannot be duplicated although it may be possible to obtain a form in lieu thereof. As times goes on, there will undoubtedly be further concessions made for the benefit of the men who served in the world war and their dependents, in which event, if it is impossible for any reason to produce the original discharge, a means of sufficient evidence would be furnished for the claim through the record in the County Recorders Office without worry, trouble or cost.

The next meeting of the Virginia Executive committee will be held in Alexandria on Saturday, April 24, and will be held concurrently with the District Committees of the Seventh and Eighth Congressional Districts.

Speaking of the Legion, Samuel Gompers recently said. "The American Federation of Labor has not made any declaration regarding the American Legion, but, speaking for myself, I cannot see any reason why ex service men whether members of organized labor or not should not join the American Legion." Mr. Gompers then quoted the attitude of The Legion towards organized labor, as expressed recently by the national commander, Franklin D'Olier.

The first meeting of the Virginia Americanization Commission is now being arranged by Dr. B. M. Roszel of Winchester the chairman. At this conference plans will be adopted to cover proper and adequate treatment for the sick and wounded of the late war; to develop a national and rational military plan of preparedness; and to promulgate 100 per cent Americanism, to stamp out illiteracy by going into the schools of the country and by greeting the alien on the shores of America.

MAY CEASE FIGHT

Foes of Suffrage Say They Will Vote to Ratify if Districts Favor Amendment

Dover, Del., April 6.—Anti-suffrage leaders in the Legislature yesterday let it be known that if there is an actual demonstration of sentiment in their districts in favor of ratifying the Federal amendment they will swing into line for its adoption.

Friends of ratification have, therefore, begun a drive for a new display of strength, and the stronghold of the "antis," Sussex County, is the starting point, today the Republican County Committee of Sussex meets to discuss the ratification program. The National Woman's party has opened headquarters in Georgetown, the county seat, and organizers are on hand for the meeting. The women of the anti-suffrage lobby also are busy in Georgetown. Coleman du Pont, Republican National Committeeman from Delaware, returned to Dover yesterday and again asked members of the Legislature to vote for the amendment.

ARRANGES FOR ARREST

Calexico, Calif., April 6.—Jack Johnson, former world's heavyweight champion pugilist, sent for Sheriff Applestill, of Imperial County Saturday and arranged to have the sheriff take him personally into custody when Johnson crosses the international line to meet Federal charges pending against him at Chicago. Johnson said he hoped to be ready to surrender soon.

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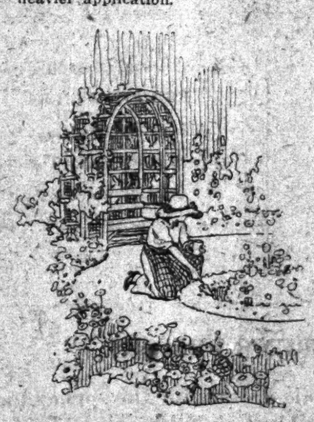

The blossoms, stems and leaves of last year drew much of the plant food out of the flower beds. To get dark green foliage—an abundance of vigorous flowering plants—spade up the earth, pulverize the soil, then add V-C Plant Food and work it thoroughly into the earth before planting, or around, but not touching the roots when plants are set out.

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6 Men Convicted of Firing on Armistice Parade Are Sentenced

Montesano, Wash., April 5.—The seven men convicted here March 13 of second degree murder for the slaying of Warren O. Grimm, Centralia armistice day parade victim, were sentenced to not less than twenty five years nor more than forty years each in the State Penitentiary, by Judge John M. Wilson.

A defense motion for a new trial was denied.

Judge Wilson said he could not pay attention to the jury's plea for leniency for Eugene Barnett and John Lamb in the light of the evidence which was submitted. He said he regarded the cases against all the men as identical.

Loren Roberts, whom the jury found insane, was ordered sent to the criminal insane ward at the State penitentiary.

The seven sentenced to twenty-five to forty years imprisonment today were: C. C. Bland, Bert Bland, John Lamb, Eugene Barnett, James McInerney, Ray Becker and Britt Smith The defense attorney took exception to the sentence and gave notice of appeal.

POLICEMAN SLAIN

Three Others Wounded by Bank Robber Trapped in Theater

St. Louis, April 6.—At bay in the orchestra pit of a theater surrounded by 50 policemen, a thief killed one officer, seriously wounded three others and himself was killed after he had held up and robbed the Easton-Taylor Trust Company of $20,000 here late yesterday. A fourth policeman was wounded by a bullet from a fellow officer's revolver.

Fifteen patrons were in the bank when the robber entered, carrying a revolver in each hand. Herding the patrons and employes into a private room, he began firing and obtained the money from the cashier. He escaped to an adjoining theater, which was unoccupied, and for twenty minutes maintained a battle with the police,

The police declared the man's conduct indicated he had become crazed from drugs. The money was found concealed in his clothing. His face was shot to such an extent that the officials believed identification would be impossible.

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BLAST WRECKS STORE

One Man Knocked Down by 'Terrific' Explosion of Barrel of Wine

New York, April 6.—A handful of raisins blew the windows out of John Calanto's fruit store at 1561 Avenu A last night, wrecked the interior of the establishment and the peace of mind of persons dwelling on the floors above and made it necessary to call out reserves from the East Eighty-eighth Street station to restore order.

Everybody thought it was a bomb but it was only Calanto's one previous barrel of wine, plus the raisins. The barrel has been standing in the rear of the store for months slowly fermenting —too slowly to suit John who strove to stir up things last week by dropping a few dozen raisins in through the bunghole and then driving the bung in tight.

He was successful. Things stirred up and stirred up until the barrel could stand it no longer. It blew up with a tremendous report, knocking down Mike Cioffi. John's brother in law, who was keeping store at the time, and sprinkling him and everything else with a shower of wine.

John, on returning, found a large crowd in front of his shattered s which was exuding a lovely smell. Th smell and a few shattered barr staves are all that is left of his treasure.

SWITCHMEN WALK OUT

Workers of Chicago Railroads Strike For Increase from 65c to $1 Per Hour

Chicago, April 5.—Police details last night were guarding railroad yards in the Chicago switching district at the request of railroads affected by the strike of switchmen, called by the Chicago Yardmen's Association.

All railroads entering Chicago, with the exception of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy and the New York Central, were said by union officers to be affected by the strike, and efforts were being made to induce switchmen on those roads to join the walkout, they said.

The strike, starting when 700 switchmen employed by the Chicago Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad walked out, demanding an increase in pay from 60 and 65 cents an hour to 95 cents and $1, spread yesterday to the Chicago Junction Railroad, which serves the stockyards, and the Illinois Central, and Chicago and Northwestern Railroads.

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The little V neck, three-quarter sleeve, beaded Georgette blouse in the picture on the left, comes in bisque and is beaded in glistening black interspersed with tan and black silk embroidery at the very nominal price of $15.75.

On the right a model of white Georgette crepe, short sleeves, panel front and collar of net, trimmed in a three-ruffle edge of sheerest lace, three-quarter inch side tucks and the very tiniest of pearl buttons and a narrow black ribbon tie, at $10.95.

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STUDENT KILLED

Trouble Breaks Out in Buenos Ayres When Some Try to Take Examinations

Buenos Ayres, April 6.—Striking students of the School of Medicine of D[illegible] tear gas bombs, pistol shots and clubs were used and one student was killed. The police arrested 130 students and took from them 120 revolvers.

The trouble broke out when some students attempted to take the examinations. A fight in the lecture room and halls followed.

The strikers demand reforms in the administration of the university. Recently the students' federation proclaimed a strike in all the universities, although the order was not generally obeyed.

ROUTED BY TENANTS BATTLES

New York, April 6.—New York landlords lost their first fight yesterday in the battle between tenants and rent gougers, when the new anti-rent profiteering laws were given the first court tests. More than 3000 men and women crowded municipal courts in the Bronx and Brooklyn to appeal in 600 eviction notice and rent increase cases.

In every instance tenants were granted from one to three months' stayovers when they proved their inability to find new homes. In a majority of cases, landlords had served notices effective April 1 and May 1.

In Brooklyn, Municipal Justice Ferguson collected more than $1000 in rentals from tenants after landlords had refused to accept amounts thought fair by the court. Other justices collected large amounts.

Fifty-two of the sixty-five marshals of the five boroughs today pledged to support the Mayor's Committee on Rent Profiteering and agreed not to accept warrants of dispossess for execution without notifying the committee.

LAUNDRY STRIKES ARE UNKNOWN IN SAN DOMINGO

A washday in San Domingo, where the simple methods of driving perspiration by the waterfall and performing the necessary labors incidental to cleanliness are part of the routine, and where the delivery of wash to the laundry and subsequent waiting for the return thereof are unknown.

DEKAY'S BODY FOUND IN LAKE

Protege of Jane Addams Had Been in Water 3 Months Says Coroner

Chicago, April 6.—The body of Jeanne Anna DeKay, 20 years old, protege of Miss Jane Addams, whose disappearance from Hull House on December 30 was followed by a national search, was found yesterday in Lake Michigan near the Municipal Pier.

Mrs. Gertrude Howe Britton, of Hull House, identified the body. Except for a coat and hat which were missing, the clothing on the body was the same that Miss DeKay wore when she disappeared.

Mrs. Britton said she was convinced the girl committed suicide. Coroner Hoffman said the body had been in the water three months.

ALIENS TURNED DOWN

Citizenship Refused Those Who Did Not Fight for U. S.

Harrisburg, Pa., April 6.—Aliens who took advantage of the draft law provisions permitting men of foreign citizenship to escape military service need not apply at the Dauphin County Court for citizenship papers.

Yesterday Judge S. J. M. McCarrell rejected the applications of Theodore Laboe, of Harrisburg; S. A. Trautman of Enhaunt, and Ben Israeli, of Steelton, on recommendation of an inspector, who had looked up their records and found that they had not shouldered a gun.

Soon after, Frank Fenner, an Austrian by birth and veteran of the First Division with a record of six battles against the Germans, was given his papers and complimented on his patriotism.

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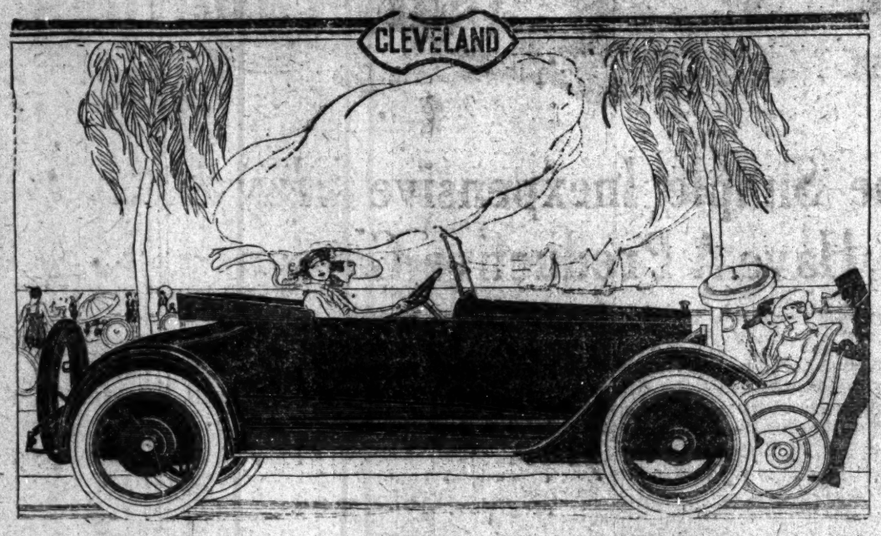

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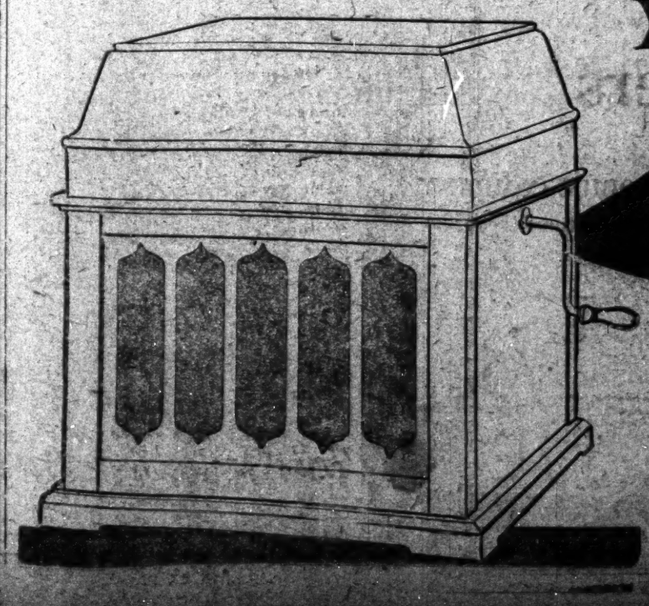

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VIRGINIA NEWS

Mrs. Nannie Tate Graham, of Wytheville, has received an anonymous letter from a Philadelphian containing $2,000 in currency, which the sender was due the firm of Graham and Robinson, which he had defrauded many years ago. The firm, both members of which are now deceased, conducted iron mine operators and a general merchandise business in Wythe County 25 years ago. The sender of the letter requested Mrs. Graham to give Mrs. Robinson, if living, $1,000. The women are sisters. Mrs. Robinson lives at Grahams Forge. Both women say they do not know who sent the money and do not recall the name of anyone who owed their husbands $2,000.

President H. B. Walker, of the Old Dominion Steamship Company, yesterday announced to representatives of the business interests of Norfolk that his company was practically out of business, its ships sold and all service practically suspended. The Old Dominion Line has been the principal carrier of truck and other perishable freight shipped out of Norfolk for many years, and shippers here predict that the discontinuance of the service will cost Tide Water Virginia growers heavy losses. It is said the company's ocean going ships have been sold to McDonald and Trude, representing an Italian line.

Alleging that she was deserted and left destitute with four small children, Mrs. Florence A. Pizzini, a former Washington girl, has entered suit for divorce in Richmond from William B. Pizzini, Pizzini, former real estate broker and club man of Richmond, brother of A. J. Pizzini, and Mrs. William McK. Barbour, of New York, left Richmond December 28, 1916. Mrs. Pizzini, who was Florence Antoinette Webber, of Washington, before her marriage, has returned there and is now working as a government clerk.

MOVE AGAINST PICKETS

Government to Prosecute Under Felony Statute if They Persist

Washington, April 6.—The Federal Government moved today to put an end to the picketing of the British Embassy, which was renewed yesterday morning by women sympathizers with the movement for an Irish republic.

United States District Attorney Laskey informed Matthew O'Brien, counsel for the women, that if his clients persisted they would be prosecuted under a Federal status which makes the offering of an insult to a diplomatic representative of a foreign government or to his official residence a felony punishable by a penitentiary sentence.

Simultaneously Mr. Laskey communicated his decision to the District of Columbia Commissioners, who instructed the police to arrest the women after warning them. Captain Doyle and two policewomen were sent to the embassy in a patrol wagon and found Mrs. Mary Walker and Miss Mollie Carroll, carrying banners on the sidewalk.

Captain Doyle informed the banner bearers that unless they left in 15 minutes they would be arrested under Federal statutes, but they refused to depart.

The pickets offered no resistance and were taken to a nearby police station, along with their banners. One banner bore this inscription: "America, Abrogate all Treaties with England." The other read: "American Women Condemn Your Reign of Terror in the Irish Republic."

After they had been taken to police headquarters and held for half an hour they were released on order of Mr. Laskey. The District Attorney explained subsequently that the police had acted before Mr. O'Brien had had time to notify his clients of the Government's decision.

An hour before the police intervened Mrs. Sophie Stanton and Mrs. Hattie Larkin, of this city, attacked two pockets who had preceded Mrs. Walker and Miss Carroll and were arrested on charges of "disorderly conduct." They were released upon depositing a cash forfeit of $25 each.

Mrs. Walker and Miss Carroll were not replaced at the Embassy after the police took them away and leaders of the movement would not say what were their plans for today.

When the picketing, which was started last Friday, was resumed yesterday morning, Mrs. Jas. Walsh, of New York, a leader of the women said it would be continued "indefinitely" irrespective of any action by the police. This, however, was before the Government had decided to proceed under Federal statutes.

THE WRONG WORD

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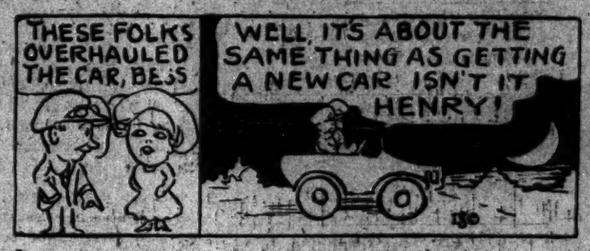

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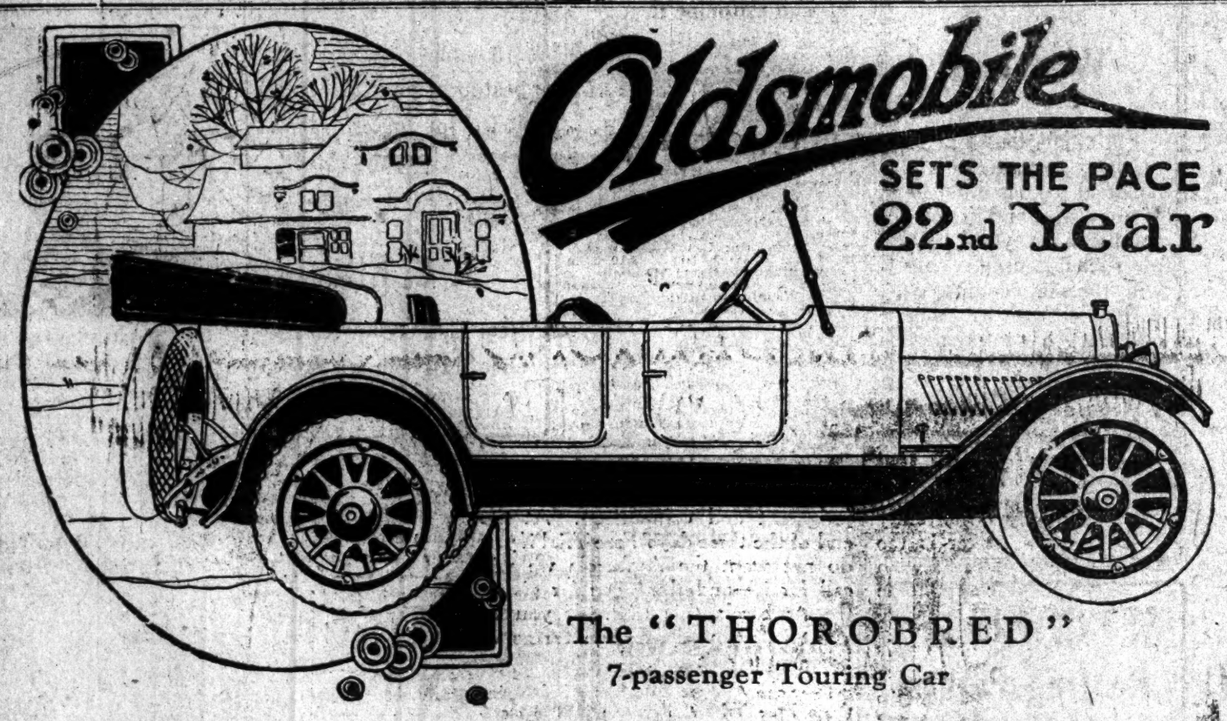

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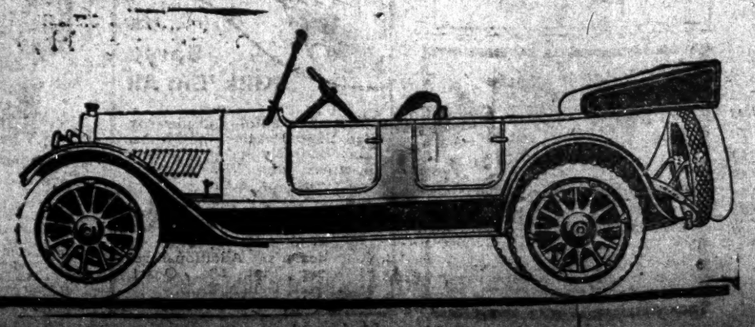

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LOST—Wrist watch, bearing initials H. A. M., in Richmond Theatre or on the streets. Finder please return to 318 North St. Asaph street, and receive reward. 83-1p.

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NOTICE—Just received a new lot of ladies misses and childrens' trimmed hats, ranging in price from $1.25 to $5.50. 114 North Fayette street. 82-2p

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TRAFFIC INCREASE TREBLED SINCE 1898

Greater Efficiency Enabled Railroads to Meet Country's Growing Demands.

The American railroads are more than one-third of the railways of the world, but the traffic hauled on the railways of the United States is now three times as great as it was twenty years ago. In four months now the railroads carry as much freight and as many passengers as they did then in a year. In the three months alone of the harvest movement in 1919 the traffic equaled that of the whole year of 1898.

In 1898 freight ton miles carried by the railroads of the country were more than 100,000,000,000 a year. In 1910 they were more than 250,000,000,000, in 1913 more than 300,000,000,000 and in 1918 more than 400,000,000,000. Although the railway mileage increased only about 65 per cent since 1890, improvements in tracks, terminals, equipment, etc., have been so marked that the volume of goods carried (measured in the number of freight tons carried one mile) increased more than five times from 1890 to 1917.

Increased Efficiency.

Taking account of both freight and passenger service, the railroads in 1900 hauled 186,000 traffic units (freight tons carried one mile, plus passengers carried one mile) for each railway employee. By 1917, the last year of private operation of the railroads prior to the entry of the United States into the war, that 186,000 had been increased to 296,000.

The following table shows the increase in efficiency of American railroads since 1900, which enabled the railroads to keep pace with the growth of the country:

Ton miles increased.....	190%
Passenger miles increased..	170%
Trackage inceased	56%
Cars and engine increased..	75%
Workers increased	85%
Output per worker increased	60%
Average train load increased	130%

These figures show that the traffic hauled by the railroads of the country has increased more than three times as fast as the trackage, more than twice as fast as the equipment and more than twice as fast as the number of workers. This has been made possible by far-sighted investment of new capital to increase the efficiency of the transportation facilities and thereby enable the railroads to increase the amount of traffic handled and reduce the amount of labor required to handle it.

Urge Adequate Rates.

In a resolution adopted by the Association of Life Insurance Presidents the heads of the country's large insurance companies express their attitude toward the railroad situation as follows:

"Rehabilitation of the railroads and establishment by law of rates adequate to provide for the present and future demands of our growing commerce and to stabilize the credit and securities of the roads."

Raleigh N. C., April 6.—Joe Stecher champion heavyweight wrestler of the world successfully defended his title here last night in a match w Tommy Drask.

LANE IS TO LEAD SALVATION ARMY

Former Secretary of Interior is Chairman, 1920 Committee

Franklin K. Lane, who recently resigned as Secretary of the Interior Department, has accepted the chairmanship of the national committee in charge of the Salvation Army's home service appeal for 1920. This is Mr. Lane's first big civic work after severing his cabinet connections.

In a letter to Commander Evangeline Booth, Mr. Lane declared that sympathy for the suffering people of other lands must not cause America to neglect her own poor and unfortunate classes.

FRANKLIN K. LANE.

"In all our thoughts for other peoples, we may not rightfully forget those on our streets," writes Mr. Lane. "The girl who has stumbled and sees no refuge but the grave; the man who has been broken, through repeated disappointment, dissipation or disease; the neglected, unloved child; the Salvation Army speaks words that are healing to the spirit, holds out a supporting hand and starts them on the way upward out of the slough of despond. If we were not all intended to do this kind of work, then I believe the teaching of nineteen hundred years has been in vain."

Mr. Lane has made it clear to officials of the Salvation Army that he intends to be a "working chairman" in the great appeal. Asked to deliver an address in the interest of the Salvation Army he readily acquiesced, "but," he said, "I should like to address the workers themselves; the men and women who are carrying on this work."

CLASH IN JERUSALEM

London, April 6.—Moslems and Jews clashed in Jerusalem, Sunday with more than 188 casualties. The military restored order. Cause of the clash was not made clear.

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(Eastern Standard Time)

South		North
	New York-Memphis	
4.25 a. m.	(Via Bristol)	12.15 a. m
	Washington-Danville	
4.37 a. m.	(Local)	3.18 p. m
	New York-New Orleans	
4.47 a. m.	(Via Atlanta)	11.55 p. m.
7.07 a. m.	Wash.-Harrisonburg	9.13 p. m
	Washington-Atlanta	
8.37 a. m.	(Coaches)	11.12 p. m
	Washington-Memphis	
2.27 p. m.	(Via Bristol)	4.58 p. m.
	Washington-Birmingham	
3.17 p. m.	(Via Atlanta)	12.08 p. m.
12 p. m.	Wash.-Harrisonburg	11.03 a.m.
	Washington-Lynchburg	
5.22 p. m.	(Local)	10.55 a. m
	Washington-Warrenton	
5.22 p. m.	(Local)	7.53 a. m.
7.12 p. m.	N. Y. Aiken Augusta	7.13 a.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
10.02 p. m.	(Via Bristol)	7.45 a. m.
10.17 p. m.	New York-Atlanta	8.23 a. m.
	New York-New Orleans	
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	Charlotte-Washington	
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	Washington-Richmond	
7.37 a. m.	(Coaches only)	
	Alexandria-Quantico-Fredericksburg and local beyond	
	Washington-Richmond	
7.37 a. m.	(Local)	5.13 a. m
	New York-Jacksonville	
10.07 a. m.	(S. A. L.)	7.30 p. m
	Washington-Richmond	
11.12 a. m.	(Local)	5.30 p. m
	Washington-Richmond	
11.47 a. m.	(Express)	5.45 p. m.
	Washington-Quantico	
3.12 p. m.	(Local)	12.00 p. m.
	New York-Palm Beach-Key West	
3.32 p. m.	(A. C. L.)	3.10 p. m.
	Washington-Atlanta-Memphis	
5.17 p. m.	(S. A. L.)	12 noon
	Washington-Richmond	
5.37 p. m.	(Local)	7.37 p. m.
	New York-Tampa-St. Petersburg	
8.07 p. m.	(S. A. L.)	9.20 a. m.
	New York-Jacksonville-Palm Beach	
9.17 p. m.	(A. C. L.)	9.10 a. m.
	Richmond-Washington	
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The undersigned qualified as administrator of the estate of Augusta Jones, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement, and all persons having claims against said esaate are requested to present the same, properly certified, to the undersigned for payment.

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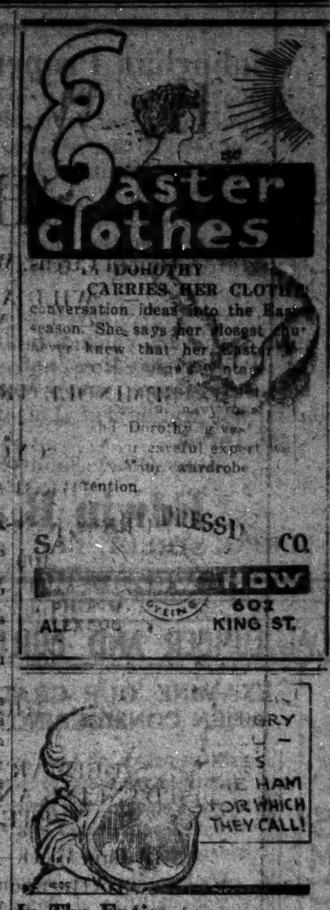

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Respectfully,
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YOUTH SHOT HIMSELF ACCIDENTALLY HANGS SELF

Demonstration of "Torture" Methods Results Fatally in New York

New York, April 6.—A demonstration of "torture" methods of olden days resulted fatally here today for Solomon Bernstein, aged fifteen.

The boy was showing companions at play how ancients "strung up" prisoners. He placed a heavy rope about his neck, the other end attached to a beam. While in this position he is believed to have fallen from a tub on which he stood.

His companions left the cellar before the "demonstration" was completed and found the lad dead upon their return.

JAPAN JOINS LOAN

Mikado's Government Enters Consortium With Safeguard for Interests

Washington, April 6.—Japan has informed the State Department of its adhesion to the arrangement under which bankers of the United States, Great Britain, France and that country will enter a consortium for the financing of China.

It was said officially yesterday that the negotiations had progressed so well that it would not be necessary to await the return to this country of Thos. W. Lamont, of New York, who is in the Far East as the representative of the American group, to begin the execution of the plans of the consortium. These contemplate a loan of approximately $250,000,000 to China, in installment of $50,000,000, for the improvement of Chinese finances and internal works. The fund will be used principally for the construction and enlargement of railroads. None of it can be spent for military purposes.

Negotiations looking to the formation of the consortium have been in progress for many months and Japan's adhesion was said to have resulted from a better understanding reached in that country as a result of conversations between Mr. Lamont and Japanese bankers and officials.

Dispatches from Tokio said that Japan insisted that loans to China under the consortium were to exclude those "prejudicial to Japan's national defense or military interest in Manchuria and Mongolia." In Japanese circles here it was explained that since the loans for those provinces were to be for railway purposes entirely Japan reserved the right make sure that no new construction endangered her military positions, especially in Corea.

BRITISH DRINK BILL

Consumption 60 Per Cent Greater in 1919 Than in 1918.

The consumption of intoxicating liquor in the United Kingdom was approximately 60 per cent greater in 1919 than in 1918, but about 25 per cent less than in 1913, the last year before the war, according to figures submitted to the United Kingdom Alliance by George B. Wilson, its political and literary secretary.

The increase over the figures for the last year of the war is attributed to the general improvement in employment, the reduction in hours of labor and the demobilization of 3,500,000 soldiers.

The figures show a total of $1,617,000,000 expended for alcoholic beverages in England and Wales in 1919, while Scotland's expenditure totaled $18,000,000, and that of Ireland $135,000,000.

METHODIST BISHOP DIES

Matthew Simpson Hughes, of Portland, Ore., Succumbs at Age of 57

Cleveland, Ohio, April 6.—Bishop Matthew Simpson Hughes of Portland, Ore., died at a hotel here yesterday from pneumonia, from which he had been ill since Friday. He had been on a lecture tour since October, spending last week addressing Lenten meetings here.

He was born in West Virginia 57 years ago. He was ordained a Methodist bishop in 1916.

Bishop Hughes was a brother of the Right Rev. Edwin Holt Hughes, also a Methodist Episcopal bishop, and formerly president of De Pauw University.

OLD MAIDS IN FRANCE "DUCING FOR COVER"

Bachelors, Too, Must Marry in Order to Escape Proposed 10 Per Cent. Tax

Paris, April 6.—The time-honored question of what age a man becomes a bachelor and a woman a spinster is soon to be settled by France. The Finance Committee of the Chamber of Deputies intend to fix thirty years as the age at which an unmarried man in France becomes liable to the bachelor tax of 10 per cent. It is expected that this tax will become effective on June 1.

The impending decision was said to have hastened many marriages during the Easter holidays.

NO GARAGE PROBLEM

The New York Sun says that in Guatemala there is no private garage problem. Motorists have eliminated the private garage by making the front hallway of the house, about where you would expect the umbrella stand and the hatrack to be, a combination of front door, front yard and garage.

The fact was revealed through a letter from a car importer in Central America to an automobile manufacturer in which he emphasizes that "It is necessary to know the size of the cars to find out whether they could easily enter the hall."

SUNDAY FUNERALS

Springfield, Mass., April 6.—The Springfield Ministers' Association in a meeting yesterday adopted a resolution protesting against Sunday funerals. The action resulted from a discussion which brought out that one clergyman recently had conducted six funerals on a single Sunday.

TEN PERSONS DROWN

Only One of Party Saved in Disaster Near Lowndesville, S. C.

Anderson, S. C., April 6.—Ten young people were drowned Sunday afternoon when a flatboat on the Savannah River, at Harpers Ferry, near Lowndesville, S. C., sank. The flatboat was hooked to a cable and used as a ferry, and it was the slackening of the cable which caused the sinking of the boat.

Try a want ad in the Gazette for results.

She Prayed for a Dishpan—Got It!

MAJOR JENNIE WARD.

TYPICAL of the hand-to-mouth existence led by the Salvation Army in its early days in this country is the story of how prayer brought a much-needed dishpan to Major Jennie Ward, the present head of the Army's famous Chrystie Street Slum Settlement and Nursery on New York's East Side.

Extreme poverty and suffering existed in the neighborhood at the time that the Major and her helpers did not feel justified in taking even a slim dime to buy a new dishpan. Finally the Major and her assistants went down on their knees and prayed for a dishpan, just as they had prayed for guidance in their work of relieving the distress about them.

That evening, the Major set out with her tambourine to collect such money as she could on the streets and in the saloons thereabouts. In one of the "gin-mills" was an utterly inebriated man with a large bundle.

"Here, shishter," he mumbled, as the Major rattled her tambourine before him, "I ain't got no money, but yer hic-welcome to yish."

"It was a fine big dishpan," said the Major the other day, as she reminisced about her work of thirty years ago.

BRIDE DEAD; HUSBAND HELD

Martin Goldheimer Says Burglars Killed Wife With Club

Princeton, W. Va., April 6.—Martin Goldheimer, former business man, is being held here pending an investigation into the death of his wife, a bride of a few months, who was slain with a club.

Goldheimer declares three robbers broke into the house at midnight. More than four hours after the crime, it is said, he appeared at the home of a neighbor with cuts on his face and told them robbers had ransacked his house and killed his wife. He had a piece of wire about his neck, which he said the robbers had put there in an effort to choke him.

EXPENSES DENIED

Universal Military Program Would Cost No More Than That Proposed for Regulars

Washington, April 6.—Universal military training will not cost the government an extra penny, Chairman James W. Wadsworth of the Senate Military Affairs Committee, declared yesterday in opening the fight for universal training and his army reorganization bill.

The cost of the universal training system will be exactly offset by the saving which this trained reserve will make possible as against the present regular army and national guard system, as continued by the bill passed by the House. This was brought out by objections of Administration Leader Hitchcock, who wanted to know why, if the regular army could be gradually reduced as universal military training got under way, why it could not be reduced forthwith. He pointed to the millions of men just trained for service in France, who could be called to the colors in the event of national danger.

"I wonder how long we are going to ask these men to bear the burden of the day?" retorted Mr. Wadsworth.

The New York Senator contended vigorously that the men who had been in the army during the war had done their part and had given enough of their time from civilian pursuits without the expectancy of being called out again.

RIOTERS SHOT BY CZECHS

Twelve Killed in Karschau After Mob Seizes Food Official and Kills Him

Vienna, April 6.—Famine conditions prevail in Slovakia, according to reports received here. It is reported that people are collapsing in the streets, due to hunger, and that there have been hunger riots in various districts.

In Karschau the populace invaded the office of the Czech food controller and dragged him to the street and killed him. The soldiers there upon fired on the crowd, killing 12 persons.

SAFE BREAKERS GET $26,500

Atlanta, Ga., April 6.—The vault of Chamberlin, Johnson DuBose Co., one of the largest department stores in this city, was blown, either Saturday night or Easter Sunday, and $26,500 taken.

The loss is covered by insurance; it is said.

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